

Free Bicycling Skills Courses Offered In San José

The City of San José offers free Bicycling Skills Courses for adults, and teens accompanied by an adult. Offered every quarter, the next course will be August 22-23, 2008. For additional information or a registration form, contact John Brazil at 408-975-3206 or john.brazil@sanjoseca.gov.

What is BikeEd?

BikeEd is the leading national bicyclist education program. Sponsored by the League of American Bicyclists, the BikeEd program offers several [courses](#) for different levels of bicyclists. All courses are taught by nationally certified instructors.

The City of San José Bicyclist & Pedestrian Program currently offers the following courses:

- **Street Skills:** This 4-hour classroom course covers the basics of riding safely and confidently in traffic. Learn your legal rights and responsibilities on the road. Topics covered include how to safely change lanes, cross intersections, ride at night, use public transit, and fix a flat. Recommended for casual bicyclists who want to become more confident and comfortable riding in traffic. Classroom only. [Click here for Street Skills information](#).
- **Road 1:** This 1.5 day course combines Street Skills with a second day that includes classroom instruction, a written exam, on-bike practice, and on-bike test.

You may register for Street Skills (Day 1 only) or Road 1 (both days)

When is the Course?

Street Skills: 6:00pm - 10:00pm, Friday, August 22, 2008
Road 1: 6:00pm - 10:00pm, Friday, August 22, 2008, and
9:30am to 4:30pm, Saturday, August 23, 2008

Where is the Course?

San José City Hall, 200 E. Santa Clara Street (at Sixth Street)

What's the Cost?

Free! (Normally \$35 for Street Skills or \$75 for Road 1)

How do I register?

Advance registration with \$25 deposit is required. To register, contact john.brazil@sanjoseca.gov
Registration is not confirmed until you receive confirmation notice.

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